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REMARKS

This amendment is being filed in response to a telephone interview with Examiner Epps on May 23, 2003. In response to a restriction requirement made between Group I (claims 1-14) and Group II (claims 15-20), Applicants elected Group I. Accordingly, claims 15-20 are being canceled. In response to a further species election with respect to claim 3, Applicants are canceling claim 3 and amending claim 1 to recite the target sequence of SEQ ID NO:3. These amendments are believed to address all of the Examiner's issues and to place the case in condition for search and examination.

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